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ACTIVITY REPORT MARCH 19-25,1977 GFTA-75-8001 PHASE I 77

1. ERADICATION SUMMARY MARCH 19-25, 1977: DEA SPOTTERS
FLYING ABOARD MEXICAN COVER HELICOPTERS HAVE CONFIRMED
SPRAYING OF ALL LIVE POPPY FIELDS OBSERVED IN AREAS OF
MEXICAN OPERATIONS. DEA AIRCRAFT WERE GROUNDED DURING
THE WEEK BY A CESSNA FACTORY RECALL OBVIATING INDEPENDENT
ERADICATION VERIFICATION UNTIL NEXT WEEK. 350 MARIHUANA
FIELDS COVERING 250 HECTARES WERE SPRAYED IN THE STATE
OF OAXACA AS PART OF A COMBINED OPERATION OF THE MEXICAN
ARMY, THE MFJP, AND DEA.

2. THE FOLLOWING ERADICATION STATISTICS HAVE BEEN PRO-
VIDED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE FOR THE PERIOD
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MARCH 19-25, 1977:

ZONE	NORTHERN	CENTRAL	SOUTHERN	TOTAL
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A. POPPY CROPS,				
HERBICIDE	1,280	14	23	1,317

B. HECTARES 383.1 1.85 2.46 387.41

C. POPPY CROPS,
MANUAL 15 0 0 15

D. HECTARES 1.21 0 0 1.21

E. MARIHUANA
CROPS, HER-
BICIDE 18 13 446 477

F. HECTARES 7.2 2.22 256.55 265.97

G. TOTAL POPPY
CROPS (AC) 1,295 14 23 1,332

H. HECTARES 384.31 1.85 2.46 388.62

3. ERADICATION COMMENTS: THE NORTHERN ZONE INCLUDES STATES OF SINALOA, DURANGO, AND CHIHUAHUA. CENTRAL ZONE INCLUDES STATES OF JALISCO, NAYARIT, MICHOACAN, ZACATECAS, AND COLIMA. SOUTHERN ZONE INCLUDES STATES OF GUERRERO, OAXACA, AND MOREL(S).

4. INTERDICTION SUMMARY: THE COMBINED MFJP-MEXICAN ARMY-DEA OPERATION IN OAXACA RESULTED IN THE ARREST OF 30 MEXICAN NATIONALS AND THE SEIZURE OF 15.5 METRIC TONS OF MARIHUANA, FIVE PICK-UP TRUCKS, AND TWO RIFLES.

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5. INTERDICTION STATISTICS-SEIZURES AND ARRESTS: ALL FIGURES ARE IN KILOGRAMS, UNITS, OR DOSAGE UNITS FOR DANGEROUS DRUGS.

NORTHERN CENTRAL SOUTHERN TOTAL

A. HEROIN .27 0 0 .27

B. COCAINE 1.837 0 0 1.837

C. MARIHUANA 3,033.5 24.06 15,038.5 18,096.06

D. MARIHUANA
SEED .02 0 34.6 34.62

E. DANGEROUS
DRUGS 9,423 0 0 9,423

F. ARRESTS

(MEX) 31 2 34 67

G. ARRESTS

(U.S.) 5 3 0 8

H. VEHICLES

(MEX) 8 0 5 13

I. VEHICLES

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(U.S.) 2 1 0 3

J. AIRCRAFT 2 0 0 2

K. WEAPONS,

RIFLES 2 O 2 4

L. WEAPONS,

PISTOLS 5 2 0 7

M. AMMUNITION 197 0 0 197

6. INTERDICTION COMMENTS: THE NORTHERN ZONE INCLUDES MEXICAN ZONES 5, 6, 7, 8, AND 9. THE CENTRAL ZONE INCLUDES MEXICAN ZONES 3 AND 4. THE SOUTHERN ZONE INCLUDES MEXICAN ZONES 1 AND 2. LIMITED NARCOTICS ACTIVITY WAS REPORTED FROM MEXICAN ZONES 10, 11, AND 12 WHICH INCLUDES

MEXICO CITY AND THE GULF STATES. TWENTY-EIGHT AND ONE
 HALF(28.5) KILOGRAMS OF PEYOTE WERE FOUND ABANDONED ON
 THE SALTILLO-TORREON HIGHWAY IN THE MONTERREY AREA OF
 OPERATIONS.

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7. CUMULATIVE ERADICATION JANUARY 1-MARCH 25, 1977:

	NORTHERN	CENTRAL	SOUTHERN	TOTAL
A. POPPY CROPS,				
HERBICIDE	23,450	466	558	24,474
B. HECTARES				
	5,766.93	96.87	148.33	6,012.13
C. POPPY CROPS,				
MANUAL	249	0	2	251
D. HECTARES				
	23.22	0	1	24.22
E. MARIHUANA				
CROPS,				
HERBICIDE	2,314	138	2,085	4,537
F. HECTARES				
	541.6	25.91	458.16	1,025.67
G. MARIHUANA,				
MANUAL	105	9	63	177
H. HECTARES				
	36.97	1.36	1.82	40.15
I. MIXED POPPY				
MARIHUANA,				
HERBICIDE	65	2	0	67
J. HECTARES				
	17.45	3	0	20.45
K. MIXED CROPS,				
MANUAL	9	0	0	9
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L. HECTARES				
	1.26	0	0	1.26

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M. TOTAL POPPY

CROPS (A&C) 23,699 466 560 24,725

N. HECTARES 5,790.15 96.87 149.33 6,036.35

O. TOTAL MARIHUANA

CROPS 2,419 147 2,148 4,714

P. HECTARES 578.57 27.27 459.98 1,065.82

Q. TOTAL MIXED 74 2 0 76

R. HECTARES 18.71 3 0 18.71

8. CUMULATIVE INTERDICTION JANUARY 1-MARCH 25, 1977:
FIGURES ARE IN KG, UNITS, DOSAGE UNITS, DOLLARS, OR PESOS.

NORTHERN CENTRAL SOUTHERN TOTAL

A. HEROIN 44.429 0 .11 44.539

B. MORPHINE& .109 0 0 .109

C. OPIUM& 4.64 .65 0 5.29

D. POPPY SEED& 3.45 .2 2.5 6.15

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E. HEROIN LABS& 3 0 0 3

F. COCAINE 147.128 0 0 147.128

G. MARIHUANA 82,900.95 11,246.36 20,491.02 114,638.33

H. MARIHUANA

SEED 141.18 20.27 278.65 440.1

I. HASHISH& 5.467 0 .24 5.707

J. DANGEROUS

DRUGS 300,563 26,841 29 327,433

K. ARRESTS,

MEXICAN 603 160 114 877

L. ARRESTS,

U.S. 23 13 3 39

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M. ARRESTS,

OTHER& 1 4 1 6

N. AIRCRAFT 12 3 2 17

O. VEHICLES,

MEXICAN 83 24 14 121

P. VEHICLES, U.S. 29 14 2 45

Q. WEAPONS,

RIFLES 118 59 45 222

R. WEAPONS,

PISTOLS 185 216 66 467

S. AMMUNITION 11,993 19,355 611 31,959

T. CURRENCY,

PESOS& 284,556 5,750 154,930 445,236

U. CURRENCY,

DOLLARS& 57,523 0 0 57,523

NORTHERN CENTRAL SOUTHERN TOTAL

V. COUNTERFEIT

PESOS& 11,000 0 0 11,000

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